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SUBJ: VIETNAMESE REFUGEES

REF: KUALA LUMPUR 2995 NOTAL

1. EMB OFFICERS CALLED ON ABDUL KADIR BIN MOHAMED, OFFICE OF SOUTH VIETNAMESE AFFAIRS, MOFA TO DISCUSS REFUGEE SITUATION PULAU PERHENTIAN. ABDUL KADIR WHO FORMER CHARGE, AT MALAYSIAN EMBASSY SAIGON, ADVISED THAT CENSUS COMPLETED BUT AS YET RELEASE OF COPIES NOT AUTHORIZED. HE DID HOWEVER, PROVIDE FOLLOWING STATISTICS OF PERSONS LIKELY IN THEIR OPINION TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR ENTRY INTO U.S.:

USG AND US BUSINESS EMPLOYEES - 92
FAMILY IN U.S. -175
U.S. OR THIRD COUNTRY SPONSOR - 357

2. WE REITERATED OUR PREVIOUS REQUEST THAT WE HAVE ACCESS TO REFUGEES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO WE COULD IDENTIFY THOSE ACTUALLY
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QUALIFIED AND SUBSEQUENTLY INITIATE PROCESSING. KADIR ASKED IF

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WE WOULD MEET WITH REFUGEE DELEGATION? WE REPLIED WE WOULD BUT THAT IT IMPERATIVE TO HAVE ACCESS TO HEADS OF HOUSEHOLD AND OTHER ADULTS. MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES MIGHT HAVE PHSYCHOLOGICAL BENEFITS BUT NOT RESULT IN POSITIVE ACTION. ABDUL KADIR PROMSED TO TAKE MATTER UP WITH HIS SUPERIORS AND ADVISE ACCORDINGLY.

3. ONCE PERMISSION RECEIVED EMBASSY WILL SEND TEAM TO POINT DESIGNATED BY MALAYSIAN AUTHORITIES. IF OUR SURVEY CONFIRMS SIZE-ABLE NUMBERS WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE INS DOCUMENTING TEAM WHICH WE UNDERSTAND HOW IN BANGKOK COME TO MALAYSIA FOR ON SPOT PROCESSING. EMBASSY MANPOWER RESOURCES ARE LIMITED AND FURTHER COMPLICATED BY HOME LEAVE/TRANSFER OF EXPERIENCED OFFICERS. UNDERHILL

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